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Dr. Marguerite Vogt,
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Dear Dr. Vogt:

Under separate cover, I am pleased to send W-1177, which will, I hope, meet your needs. Unfortunately, I do not have on hand a TLB_1 -Lac- V_1^F V_2^H . W-1177 carries these markers except for V_6^S , but you should have no trouble selecting a V_6^F mutant from it. W-1177 also carries a number of other markers which are not relevant to the ones mentioned.

I regret that I do not feel free to distribute Hfr without specific instructions from Cavalli.

I am very pleased to hear that bacterial recombination is to be studied in Dr. Delbruck's laboratory. Please feel free to call on me for any further information or other assistance. I shall shortly send you what reprints I can.

Yours sincerely,

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Associate Professor of Genetics.